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TARGET SET BY NTPC FOR POWER GENERATION
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the target set by NTPC for power generation from Vindhyachal Thermal Power Plant during the Ninth Plan;

(b) the actual achievement made by that Thermal Plant during the plan period;

(c) whether the Government have a proposal for the expansion of that Plant;

(d) if so, the steps taken thereon; and

(e) the projection made for power generation after its expansion?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) & (b) : During the Ninth Plan, Vindhyachal Super Thermal Power Plant of National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) generated 47,687 Million Units against a target of 44,902 Million Units (till July, 2001). The year-wise details of target sets and actual achievements of the project are as under :-

NINTH PLAN Generation (Million Units)

Years	Target (MOU)	Actual
1997-1998	8890	8750
1998-1999	8800	9934
1999-2000	10858	9895
2000-2001	11600	14196
2001-2002 (April to July 2001)	4754 (Pro-rata)	4912
Total	44902	47687

(c) to (e) : NTPC has proposed expansion of Vindhyachal STPP as Stage-III by addition of 1000 MW capacity. The feasibility report for Stage-III submitted to Central Electricity Authority by NTPC is under appraisal for techno-economic clearance.